BEFORE

THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION OF

SOUTH CAROLINA

DOCKET NO. 92-127-C - ORDER NO. 92-360

MAY 15, 1992

IN RE: Application of Amerishare Communications,) ORDER
Inc. for a Certificate of Public Conveni-) GRANTING
ence and Necessity to operate as a reseller) PETITION TO
of interexchange telecommunications services) INTERVENE
in South Carolina.) OUT OF TIME

This matter comes before the Public Service Commission of South Carolina (the Commission) by way of a Petition to Intervene Out of Time filed by Southern Bell Telephone & Telegraph Company (Southern Bell). The return date on this case was May 4, 1992. Southern Bell filed this Petition on May 5, 1992. Southern Bell stated that it felt that it had a vital interest in this case. Further, Southern Bell states that, as a party, it would not cause a delay in complying with any deadlines imposed for filing testimony or in the hearing schedule in this matter. Amerishare Communications, Inc. filed a response in opposition to the Petition.

Upon consideration of this matter, it is the opinion of this Commission that the Petition to Intervene Out of Time should be granted. Southern Bell, as a matter of course, participates in proceedings similar to this one, and normally proffers evidence, especially when AT&T's SDN network is to be resold. Further, the Commission does not believe that any party will be prejudiced by

the admission of Southern Bell as a party to this proceeding.

IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED:

- 1. That the Petition to Intervene Out of Time filed by Southern Bell is granted.
 - 2. That Southern Bell is made a party to this proceeding.
- 3. That this Order shall remain in full force and effect until further Order of the Commission.

BY ORDER OF THE COMMISSION:

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ATTEST:

Executive Director

(SEAL)